

Before the FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
Washington, DC 20554

In the Matter of 2002 Biennial Regulatory Review -  
Review of the Commission's Broadcast Ownership Rules  
and Other Rules Adopted Pursuant to Section 202  
of the Telecommunications Act of 1996,  
Notice of Proposed Rulemaking,  
MM Docket No. 02-277, (rel. Sept. 23, 2002)

To: The Secretary, FCC Commissioners, and Chief, Media Bureau

Apparently the FCC is planning to completely deregulate the airwaves and allow cross-ownership (Docket No. 02-277, The Biennial Review of the FCC's broadcast media ownership rules). This means they will license off all the airwaves to the major media companies leaving none for public use. They will also allow them to own the telephone lines, wireless communication, cable companies, newspapers, tv, radio, internet service providers, etc. all in the same area. This is a direct violation of the First Amendment and the current FCC regulations.

As the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) continues to deregulate media ownership in favor of the corporate media, there become less and less opinions being heard.

It is the job of the FCC to assure the highest possible diversity in the opinions being expressed in all forms of media!

Thank you,

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